

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: **Willibrordus Augustinus VAN DER WEIDE** ) Examiner: Wayne A. LANGEL  
Serial No.: **10/580,223** ) )  
Filed: February 23, 2007 ) Art Unit: 1793  
For: "BIOLOGICAL FERTILIZER" ) Our Ref: B-6013PCT 623479  
 ) Date: May 5, 2009  
 ) Re: *Non-Final Office Action*  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Commissioner for Patents

Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action mailed on December 5, 2008, a response to which is due no later than June 5, 2009, Applicant submits this paper together with a petition for a two month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). The amount for the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R.1.17(a)(2) has been paid concurrently with this electronic submission.. Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.